PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

TANGADI AND KAKKE BARKS.

Notification dated the 26th June 1909.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Hassan, up to the 19th July 1909 for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*Cassia fistula*) barks for periods noted against each taluk detailed below:—

No.	Taluk	Period of lease	Remarks
1	Hassan and Alur Sub-Taluk ...	From 25th July 1909 to 30th June 1911.	The produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals, is not included in the lease.
2	Manjarabad ...		
3	Belur ...		
4	Arsikere ...		
5	Channarayapatna ...		
6	Hole-Narsipur ...		
7	Arkalgud ...		

2. Tenders should specify the name of the taluk and the amount offered for each.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes as earnest money, in default of which, tenders will be rejected. Covers containing the tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Hassan, and should be duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for Tangadi and Kakke Barks.".

4. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer in the Taluk Cutcherry at Arsikere at 2 P.M. on the 21st July 1909, in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

5. The above officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reasons therefor. The acceptance of the tender will be subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner.

6. The acceptance of the tender will be forthwith communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of the rest will be returned to them.

7. Within three days of receipt of notice of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor shall credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, one-half of the total rental including the earnest money already paid plus local cess at one anna per rupee, in default of which, the acceptance will be revoked, the earnest money forfeited to Government and the right resold.

8. Sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting competitor, who will forfeit all gain, but in the event of a loss by the sale, shall make good the difference between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the tender and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the resale. If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

9. The successful tenderer or the lessee should work up the lease himself, and if he wishes to transfer it to others, he should obtain the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, who will have power to insist upon the payment of a premium for granting the same.

10. The successful tenderer or the lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions herein mentioned, and it should be executed within three days from the date on which the acceptance of the tender may be intimated to him; in default, the sum already paid will be forfeited and the right resold.

11. The balance of the lease amount and the local cess thereon shall be paid in full in three khists in advance, on the dates mentioned below, and sufficient and good security must be furnished for the payment of the same. Failing to remit any of the khists on the due date, the lessee shall forfeit the sum already credited and also his claims to the produce, and the balance will be recovered as a revenue demand from him or his surety.

1st khist—1st October 1909.
2nd khist—1st April 1910.
3rd khist—5th January 1911.

Further conditions.

(i) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under two years by his servants or sub-contractors.

(ii) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed by them for the collection of bark in the different working circles.

(iii) To cut the Kakke trees flush with the ground.

(iv) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark or barked wood removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by them.

(v) To remove each cart-load of bark under a pass issued by the contractor or his agent in the printed form book obtained by the District Forest Officer under his seal and signature and to return the counterfoils to the said officer as soon as each book is finished.

(vi) To hold himself responsible for damage caused by any fire in State Forests or plantations traceable to his or his employee's negligence.

(vii) To remove out of limits of the Hassan District and before 15th July 1911 (including fifteen days' grace), all bark or barked wood cut or charcoal prepared from the latter, collected or stored by or on behalf of the lessee.

(viii) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected to be confiscated and the lessee to a fine not exceeding Rs. 1,000 to be imposed by the Deputy Commissioner.

(ix) The barked wood will be the property of the lessee.

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SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Dated———June 1909.

The attention of the public is invited to page 840 of Part II of the *Mysore Gazette* issued on 17th June wherein the notification *re* the sale of the right of collection of Tangadi and Kakke barks in the taluks of the Shimoga District during 1909-10, is published.

Notice dated 15th June 1909.

It is notified that the following property was found in the backyard of B. Venkatasubbannachar, resident of Tirthahalli. The claimants, if any, may appear before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga District, within a month from this date. If no claimant is found, the same will be confiscated to Government and no claim will be admitted after that date :—

Kind of property—Sandal billet with Tarikere Koti 'Sold' stamp thereon.
Number—One.
Cubical contents—41 lbs.

Where found—In the backyard of B. Venkatasubbannachar, resident of Tirthahalli.
Kept in the custody of—Tirthahalli Koti Forester.

Notice dated 15th June 1909.

It is notified that the following property was found in the field of Lambani Ganga Naik near the Kenchapur village, Channagiri Range :—

The claimants, if any, may appear before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, within a month from this date. If no claimants are found, the same will be confiscated to Government and no claim will be admitted after that date :—

Kind of property—Teak poles.
Number—Three.
Cubical contents—10¼.

Where found—In a field cultivated by Lambani Ganga Naik near Kenchapur village, Channagiri Range.
Kept in the custody of—Murigappa, Kenchapur Patel.

Notice dated 18th June 1909.

It is hereby notified under Section 40 of the Forest Regulation of 1900, that the following property was found in the District Forest of Channagiri Range.

The claimants, if any, may appear before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga District, within a month from this date. If no claimant is found, the same will be confiscated to Government and no claim will be admitted after that date.

Kind of property	No.	C. ft.	Where found	Kept in the custody of
Teak	2	15	Malligere District Forest.	Malligere Patel Veerappa
Do	1	4¾	Joldhal District Forest.	Forester, Joldhal.
Do	2	11	Ganadakatte District Jungle.	Ganadakatte Patel Vobappa.
Do	4	10¾	Komarnahalli District Jungle.	Komarnahalli Patel Kariappa.
Total	9	41½		

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